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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2144
Docket No.: 1454.1090**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Norbert BECKER et al.

Serial No. 09/936,203

Group Art Unit: 2144

Confirmation No. 2419

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Examiner: Greg C. Bengzon

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING OBJECTS IN DISTRIBUTED HIERARCHICAL SYSTEMS, IN PARTICULAR IN AUTOMATION SYSTEMS (As Amended)

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on December 20, 2005.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.